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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Mao <i>et al.</i>
Serial No.:	09/867,201
Filing Date:	05/29/2001
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Examiner:	FREDMAN, JEFFREY N.
Art Unit:	1637
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Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of Time (if Appropriate)

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the decision of the Examiner dated September 27, 2006 rejecting claims 1-14. The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ **Fee for Notice of Appeal (37 CFR §1.17(b))**

☒ Small Entity: \$250.00

☒ **Petition for Extension of Time**

Applicant hereby petitions for a 1 Month Extension of Time, to extend the period for response to January 27, 2007.

Extension Fee (37 CFR §1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

☐ Other Than Small Entity: ☐ \$120 ☐ \$450 ☐ \$1020 ☐ \$1590 ☐ \$2160.00

☒ Small Entity: ☒ \$60.00 ☐ \$225.00 ☐ \$510.00 ☐ \$795.00 ☐ \$1080.00

☒ **Conditional Petition for Extension of Time**

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Notice of Appeal.

☒ **Fee Payment**

☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$310 covering the above fees due.

Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment in fees for timely filing of these papers to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,
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